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# AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Dear Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action bearing a Notification Date of 06/15/2007 in the above-identified patent application, the date for response to which is extended by three months to 12/17/2007 (12/15/2007 falling on a Saturday) by the accompanying Request for Three Month Extension of Time (PTO/SB/22).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.